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THOUSANDS OF THEM EXPLODED WITHOUT WARNING.

## THREE MEN WERE INJURED

Were Being Sold as Old Brass When Unusual Accident Occurred—A Surprised Metal Dealer.

Three men were injured Friday morning by an explosion of shells that were supposed to be empty. The shells were bought as old brass at the foundry of the Moore & Jones Brass Metal Co., at 212 North Broadway.

Julius Berger, a metal dealer of 1535 North Broadway, was delivering a load of old brass at the foundry. A portion of his cargo, including about 800 shells of 22 and 32 caliber, was in a sack.

Berger carried the sack to the storeroom and dropped it on an iron scale platform. The concussion of the fall caused the trouble. Instantly there was a report that startled the employees above the roar of the furnaces and the machinery and alarmed the neighborhood for three blocks.

There was a momentary rain of bullets and fragments of shell throughout the foundry, and the employees rushed from their places to ascertain the cause of the bombardment.

When the smoke cleared away three men requested treatment for injuries. They were Berger, whose hand had been cut by a flying shell; Frank Horstmann of 1722 Belle Glade avenue, whose leg was lacerated by a piece of old brass; and George Foster who had been cut over the eye by a broken shell.

All of the bullets had gone wild. Berger says that a man took the shells to his shop in a sack last week, and assured him they were all empty. He estimates that about 100 of them have been discharged by the concussion.

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## MARY NORMAN AT THE SUBURBAN PRESENTS THREE TYPICAL GIRLS



One of the Chief Features Among the Attractions at the Various All Fresco Resorts—What Is to Be Seen at Some of the Other Gardens.

Originally speeded with humor, garnished with style and served by an artist's hand is not only entertaining, but delightfully refreshing. Such is the impression one receives of Miss Mary Norman, the young woman who is entertaining visitors at the Suburban on the hills this week of the season.

When first heard of in St. Louis some three years ago, she was called the "kind caricaturist." She chose the name because she says she neither ridicules nor burlesques the various types of women she imitates. But really one would not call Miss Norman a caricaturist. She presents a picture to her audience—a picture, true to life, of individual types of women.

Miss Norman is really more impressive, more magnetic than her peculiar title. She has the beauty of expression, a ready wit, is a student whose books are those which nature gave to man, and above and beyond all these, she has the heart of a woman. When asked how she happened to plan her monologue on such original lines, for answer, she laughed—a contagious laugh she has—and said:

"I did not plan it. It just came. With great modesty she added, 'I am really surprised that it is a great success, for to me, it seems too natural, you know.'"

Miss Norman comes from Des Moines, Ia., and judging from the critics in this western town she is one of the few people who are appreciated in their own city. They are not only justly proud of her, but they sing her praises with timbrels and trumpets. She was Miss Mary Cope and like so many "stars" the honey, comes from a family of religiously conservative persons. She is the wife of Mr. Norman Jacobs, a man equally as brilliant as his wife.

Women—women and girls—furnish the ideas for Miss Norman's work. Her imitations of young women from various cities is most fetching. Miss Norman is a prominent club woman in her home state, and has been very active in the federation. I asked her the other evening what she thought of the club women of today. Her answer? It needed no words to express itself. She started in, and in her imitations, clever style, gave four or five true productions of club women at the Suburban on the hills this week of the season.

The people in Des Moines thought Miss Norman had a talent and induced her to try vaudeville. She proved one of the few amateurs that ever succeeded in this branch of the business without previous training. Engagements came so fast that before long the artist's health gave way and she was forced to return home for another year. She will have new imitations of various types of society women, York and Adams, Reno and Riches, J. Aldrich Libbey, Kathryn Trayer and John D. Gilbert, Lawrence and Harrington, Johnny Carroll and the Mathews have been engaged for next week.

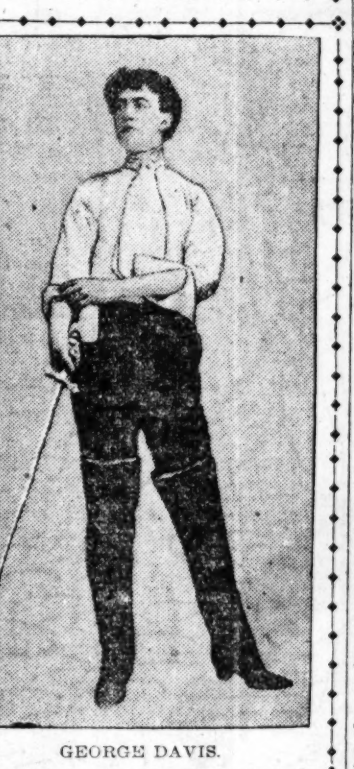
The song, "I Love You Yet," published with the Sunday Post-Dispatch, was sung

Monday night by Will S. Rising at Koerner's Garden. It made a big hit. It was Post-Dispatch, composed expressly for the occasion.

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GEORGE DAVIS.

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## Like Begots Like.

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wrought by the regime of his severe but "peerless" predecessor.

Mr. George Davis, a young St. Louisan and a very excellent tenor soloist, who has toured the eastern states in concert and studied under several professors, will make his debut in vaudeville at Koerner's Garden next Sunday night. He will appear in a musical sketch from "Princess Chich," as this. Often a bad case of Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula or severe skin disease, an old sore or ulcer developing in middle life, can be traced to blood poison contracted in early life.

The popular comedian, Fred Fear, who has done excellent work and made many friends at the Delmar Garden during the past few weeks, will leave for New York Sunday morning to begin rehearsals for his starring tour in the comic opera, "The Tar and Tartar." Messrs. Kiaw & Erlanger, the well-known musical firm, have booked Mr. Fear and his company for a solid season of 30 weeks, and he will assuredly be warmly welcomed by the hundreds of theater-goers who have enjoyed his quaint and unctuous humorous methods during his summer stay here.

Maurice Freeman announces that the opening bill for his dramatic stock season at L. B. R. Cave, beginning at the matinee on Sunday next will be that most laughable comedy, entitled "A Cheerful Liar," from the pen of John A. Fraser. Falselyhoods have been from the regular clientele of Maurice Freeman's garden. The pieces will be on the popular basis, namely, 25, 35 and 50 cents, with 2-cent bargain matinees on Sundays, Wednesdays and Saturdays, and a special ticket will be issued at the after-

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Dressers coming to Forest Park Highlands in vaudeville is quite an event in summer garden history. She may hold over next week and appear on certain evenings, provided she can be released from an eastern contract.

"Silver King" is drawing record-breaking crowds at Koerner's this week. The Hanley-Ravold company is well cast. Will S. Rising, the Post-Dispatch, composed expressly for the occasion.

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## FUNERAL WAS HELD

MRS. HUMPHREY'S REMAINS INTERRED AT BELLEFONTAINE.

MOURNING SYMBOLS NOT USED

Instead of Customary Crepe at the Door There Were American Beauty Roses.



The funeral of Mrs. Emma Henrietta Walsh Humphrey, wife of F. W. Humphrey, took place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 463 Laclede avenue, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Services consisting of a sermon by Rev. C. M. Davis, dean of Christ Church Cathedral, and the singing of the following hymns: "While I Stay" and "Lead Kindly Light," by a quartet—Mrs. Georgia Lee Cunningham, Mrs. George Bollman, W. M. Porteous and J. A. Buse.

The pall-bearers were: Thomas Wood, W. C. Striggers, J. W. London, W. J. Kemp, George S. McGrew, Eugene Handlan, Harry Lewis, Herman Bollman, Oscar Bollman, W. M. Porteous, E. D. Cunningham, George Meyer, Charles Ware, Seth Cobb, Frank Hunkins, Scott Bennett, Clark H. Sampson and Leon L. Hull.

The funeral was peculiar in that there were no ordinary symbols of mourning present. At the door instead of crepe was a huge bouquet of American beauties tied with white ribbon. The casket was gray and was surrounded with flowers.

Mrs. Humphrey's dog kept watch by the casket during the time the corpse was in the house.

Mrs. Humphrey was born in Massachusetts 47 years ago. The children who survive her are, Frank Hackett, Brighton Walsh and Miss Adelle Humphrey.

**Stables and Horse Burned.**  
Fire in Carondelet at 4 o'clock Friday morning destroyed two stables and one horse was burned to death. The fire was discovered in the two-story frame stable at the rear of 719 South Broadway, owned by John Barth. The stable was destroyed and a horse valued at \$75 was burned. The loss on the stable is estimated at \$200. No insurance. The fire spread to the stable at 717 South Broadway, owned by the Wechslein estate. The loss was estimated at \$400, fully covered by insurance.

**Broke His Back.**—Bert Chandler, 20 years old, employed on a new building at Kings and Walnut streets, fell 20 feet from a scaffold at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning. His back was broken and his wrist fractured. He was sent to St. Louis Hospital, where his condition was said to be serious.

**St. Mark's Church Lawn Party.**  
The ladies of St. Mark's Church will give a lawn party for the benefit of their new church, Wednesday evening, August 7, at 8 o'clock, at the Southwest corner of Academy and Minerva avenues. Dancing commencing at 8 p. m. sharp. Admission, 25c. Good music and refreshments.

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## WILL DUMP IMPURE MILK

Chicago Authorities Find the Farmers Have Been Using Formalin to Preserve It.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Adulterated milk and cream are to be confiscated in future at the receiving depots of all railroads. The discovery of formalin at the receiving depots will result in the seizure of the cans and the dumping of its contents into the nearest gutter.

This was the order issued by Dr. F. W. Reilly, acting commissioner of health. The crusade against impure and adulterated milk has shown the officials of the health department that the city dealers are not willing to blame. Several samples delivered direct from the farm have been found to be doctored with formalin. In order to stop the entrance of doctored milk and cream into Chicago Mr. Reilly had adopted the plan of testing the milk as it is unloaded from trains and before it is distributed to dealers.

Samples will be taken of all milk and cream received at Chicago from producers and shippers, and these will be brought to the city laboratory and tested later. The test for discovering formalin, however, is easy and quick, and can be done on railroad platforms.

## TEXAS' YIELD OF COTTON.

State Agricultural Commissioner Says It Will Be 3,000,000 Bales.

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 2.—State Agricultural Commissioner Jefferson Johnson has just made the prediction that the cotton yield of Texas this year will aggregate 3,000,000 bales. He bases this estimate on his personal investigation of the crop and the fact that the yield of the state has been so good throughout the season. He believes the shortage of crop in certain districts will be offset by the heavy yield of other localities, where last year there was a failure of crop.

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# THE OCTOPUS,

Frank Norris' Great Story.

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## SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

The wheat growers in Tulare County, Cal., are at war with the P. & S. W. Railroad, which monopolizes them by raising rates. Mamma Berne, foremost of the wheat growers, is asked to sign a scheme to cut the railroad by building the railway commissioners. Annie Berne, his wife, urges him not to join. Annixter, a wheat ranchman, makes love to Hilma, a daughter of his dairyman. She repulses him.

## CHAPTER II.

### The Barn Dance.

ANNIXTER had built a new and enormous barn and was going to hold a barn dance. Not that he cared for or understood such things, but he had heard it was the custom.

The afternoon before the evening of the dance he chanced to meet Hilma inspecting the decorations.

Hilma stood abashed and confused before him. She was dressed in a white organdy frock of the most rigorous simplicity and wore neither flower nor ornament.

that don't lay his ears back when I get on him; there's not a dog that don't put his tail between his legs as soon as I come near him. The cause isn't faulted yet here on Quier Sabe that can throw me, nor the dog me. I kick that Irish setter every time I see him—but wonder what I'd do, though, if he didn't sink so much, if he wagged his tail and was glad to see me? So it all comes to this: I'd like to have you—well, sort of feel that I was a good friend of yours and like me because of it."

The flame in the lamp on the wall in front of Hilma stretched upward tall and thin and began to smoke. She went over to where the lamp hung and, standing on tiptoe, lowered the wick. As she reached her hand up, Annixter noted how the somber, lurid red of the lamp made a warm reflection on her smooth, round arm.

"Do you understand?" he queried. "Yes, why, yes," she answered, turning around. "It's very good of you to want to be a friend of mine. I don't think so, though, when you strap me to your good horse. It's all right since you've explained things. You see I'm different from you. I like everybody to like me and I like to like

gratitude which he gruffly pretended to deprecate. Oh, that was all right. It hadn't cost him much. He liked to see people having a good time himself, and the crowd did seem to be enjoying themselves. What did she think? And how about herself—was she enjoying it? Stupidly Annixter drove the question home again, at his wife's end as to how to make conversation. Hilma protested volubly she would never forget this night, adding:

"Dance! Oh, you don't know how I love it! I didn't know myself, could dance all night and never stop once!"

Annixter was smitten with uneasiness. No doubt the "romancing" was not at all to her taste. Wondering what kind of a spectacle was about to make of himself he exclaimed:

"Want to dance now?"

"Oh, yes," she returned. They paused in their walk, and Hilma, facing him, gave herself into his arms. Annixter shut his teeth, the perspiration starting from his forehead. For five years he had abandoned dancing. Never in his best days had it been one of his accomplishments.

They hesitated a moment, waiting to catch the time from the musicians. Another couple bore down upon them at precisely the wrong moment, jostling them out of step. Annixter swore under his breath. His arm still about the young woman, he pulled her over to one corner of the dance.

"Now," he muttered, "we'll try again." A second time, listening to the one-two-three, one-two-three cadence of the musicians, they endeavored to get under way. Annixter waited the fraction of a second too long and stepped on Hilma's foot.

On the third attempt, having worked out of the corner, a pair of dancers bumped into them once more, and as they were recovering themselves another couple came down violently against Annixter, so that he all but lost his footing.

He was in a rage. Hilma, very embarrassed, was trying not to laugh, and thus they found themselves, out in the middle of the floor, continually jostled from each other, hammering excuses into one another's faces when Delaney arrived.

He came with the suddenness of an explosion. There was a commotion by the doorway, a rolling burst of oaths, a furious stamping of boots, a wild scramble of the dancers to either side of the room, and there he was.

He had ridden the buckskin at a gallop straight through the doorway and out into the middle of the floor of the barn.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Boy's Special Sale Ladies' Waists and Fine Shirting at Half Price.

Owing to the rush of orders in their shirt department T. B. Boyd & Co. were unable to turn out on time about 60 dozen ladies' fine waists. They received them from their factory, all new and up-to-date styles, and owing to lateness of season offered them at half price. \$2.50 waists cut to \$1.25, also \$3 grades cut to \$1.50. They are also closing at half price, remnants of their fine shirtings; 25c Madras cut to 15c, and 50c Madras cut to 25c.

TO PAY COUNT BONI'S DEBTS. The Courts Ordered to Distribute Funds in Their Hands.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—George J. Gould and Helen M. Gould, as receivers of the Income of Countess Castellane (nee Anna Gould) have been directed by the United States Circuit Court to pay the installments of principal and interest past due on three mortgages upon property of Anna Gould on the Avenue Bois de Boulogne, Paris, and her country place, known as the Chateau de Marly, near Paris.

INDIGNATION AT THE BOERS. The British Are Horrified at Reported Atrocious Conduct.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—The cold-blooded Boer atrocities by Gen. Kitchener have caused a feeling of horror throughout the country. This morning's newspapers call for strong measures to meet this development of the war. Men who resort to deliberate murder forfeit their belligerent rights.

The weakness of the British position lies in the reluctance of the military authorities to punish with legitimate severity offenses against the laws of war. Considerable dissatisfaction has for some time been felt here owing to the excessive leniency that Gen. Kitchener has displayed in his operations against the Boer guerrillas, but he may alter his policy with this latest phase of the campaign, as it will be necessary for them to show the loyal natives that he is able to protect them.

Territory Extended. Summer tourist points in Wisconsin and Michigan via Illinois Central Railroad. Full information at 38 North Broadway.

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Men's Half Hose, full seamless, 5c

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Men's Tan Russia and Dark Brown Vici Kid \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00. Shoes—all go for \$2.50

Men's Tan, Patent Leather and Vici Kid Oxfords, broken sizes (most all sizes in the lot) go for \$1.98

Baker-Bayles Shoe Co., 509 N. Sixth Street. Three Doors South Washington.

## WILL CALL OUT THE CUTTERS. Garment Workers Are Determined to End Their Strike Quickly.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The striking garment workers decided to call out the cutters employed by several manufacturers, partly to force those who have not complied with the demands of the strikers to do so at once and partly to force the manufacturers to accept the demands of the contractors, in order that the strikers may return to work as soon as possible.

The attitude of the contractors is said to be unchanged. They have issued a letter of protest, alleging that for the last few years the clothing trades have been agitated each year by the strike of the workers, who won all their demands. The contractors say that the allegations of the labor leaders are false and exaggerated.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething rests the child and comforts the mother. 25c.

## SELLING SHOES IN VIENNA. American Has Stirred Up the Natives by Opening Retail Stores.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The American shoe manufacturer who stirred up feeling in Vienna by his attempt to establish a number of American shoe stores in that city is Julius Barthman of New York. Barthman formerly kept a store in Broad street, Newark, but was burned out more than a year ago.

Last winter he went to Europe and on his return said there were limitless opportunities for American shoes in Austria and that he intended to open a number of American shoe stores in Vienna and afterward in other cities of Austria and Germany. Mr. Barthman had capital but also interested others in his project. He returned to Vienna and sent orders to this country for large consignments of shoes.

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To buy high grade clothing—"Our own exclusive make"—at prices charged by others for very inferior makes.

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## Men's Suits.

Fine Mixed and Plain Cheviot and Worsted Suits—cut to \$10 and \$12

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## You do not buy Paint every day. When you do want Paint, get good Paint.

You will be sure to obtain good Paint, Varnishes, etc., from the Mound City Paint and Color Co., Nos. 811 and 813 North Sixth Street.

## YOUR DENTAL WORK FREE! FREE!

Until August 10th we will make our Best Set of Teeth for \$1.00. Teeth extracted without pain FREE by our new process. Small charge for material only.

Soft Fillings for cost of material. FREE Silver Fillings for cost of material. FREE Gold Fillings for cost of material. 25c and up

Gold Crowns \$1.75 Gold Plates \$10.00 Aluminum Plates \$5.00 Silver Plume Crowns \$1.00 Bridge Work, per tooth \$1.50 Non-breakable Plates \$3.00

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UNION DENTAL COLLEGE, 622 Olive St. Second Floor, Southeast Cor. 7th and Olive. Open till 9. Sundays 10 to 4.

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FOREST PARK HIGHLANDS. Only Family HOPKINS' PAVILION, 2 Shows Daily. Seats 10c to 50c.

MARIE DRESSLER. Assisted by Adele Farrington and ALL STAR VAUDEVILLE. Admits. to grounds free; reserved seats 25c and 50c.

DELMAR GARDEN OPERA CO. Eve's—25c, 50c and 75c. Sat. Mat.—50c and 50c. To grounds free; reserved seats 25c and 50c.

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## BROKE OCEAN RECORD

**DEUTSCHLAND STEAMED 601 KNOTS IN ONE DAY.**  
**BEST PREVIOUS IS 587 KNOTS**

She Also Traveled 23.07 Knots Average Per Hour on Her Westward Trip.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The fleetest ship of the merchant marine—the Deutschland—was twice a winner when her forefoot touched the imaginary line abreast of Sandy Hook lightship.  
She made a new world's record for a day's run, and also a record for the fastest average speed traveling to the westward. The Hamburg-American liner from New York on July 20 to meridian of next day steamed 601 knots, or 62.09 land miles. This is 14 knots better than her best previous day's steaming to the westward—587 knots—on May 9, 1901. Her fastest day's run to the eastward is 537 knots, made on her trip to Plymouth, ending July 11, 1901.  
The Deutschland's average for her last performance from Cherbourg Mole to Sandy Hook lightship is 23.07 knots an hour, or thirteen-one hundredths of a knot better than on her May trip to New York. A steady to the westward is 23 hours and 10 minutes long. On the day she covered 601 knots the Deutschland, therefore, traveled at the rate of 24.138 nautical miles an hour. It was rainy and rough on that day. Wind and swell were against the ocean racer. Chief Engineer A. Billewagmen sized in the coal at the rate of one ton an hour.  
If she could maintain her best day's average of 24.138 knots to the westward, she could cross from Cherbourg to Sandy Hook lightship over the short course in less than five days.  
Wireless messages were exchanged between Cuxhaven and the Deutschland at a distance of 20 miles. D. H. Burnham, the exposition architect, was one of 57 passengers on board.

### CITY NEWS.

The first Friday in August and Crawford's promise to make it a memorable one in the way of bargain giving; be on hand bright and early, as the best things will go first.

**UNCLE SAM'S TREES ON FIRE.**  
Fire on Jefferson Barracks Reservation Lasted Five Days.

A strip of ashes more than a mile long and 400 feet wide through the forest on Jefferson Barracks reservation marks the trail of a brush fire that raged intermittently for five days and has just been suppressed.  
The grass, which was parched by the drought to the brown of autumn, and the undergrowth of brush, as well as the dead branches, are entirely destroyed.  
In many spots the great forest monarchs that have been a source of pride to the commanding officers and men of the post since it was established are scorched so severely they probably will die. The foliage of all the small trees in the path of the flames was burned away, but it is thought their trunks are not injured.  
The fire is supposed to have spread to the forest from a field of burning grass adjoining the reservation on the south. It was discovered that night, but appeared to be of little consequence. Tuesday it assumed threatening proportions and the 600 soldiers at the barracks under the direction of Lieut. Henry Watterson, Jr., began to fight the flames. They were assisted by farmers and, after two days of hard work, the fire was quenched with wet mops.

**Low Rates to Wisconsin and Michigan**  
Via Illinois Central Railroad. Tickets on sale Aug. 2 to 10, inclusive, and good for return Oct. 31. Full information at 308 North Broadway.

**COUNCIL PASSES FENDER BILL.**  
Speed of Horseless Vehicles Will Be Considered Friday.

The Boyce fender bill, authorizing the Board of Public Improvements to make new requirements for street car fenders and wheel guards, was passed by the City Council at its meeting Thursday afternoon. The measure will go to the House of Delegates at its meeting Friday night.  
By the terms of the Boyce bill the board is given the power to cancel former approvals of fenders and wheel guards and to prescribe new requirements.  
Failure to provide appliances complying with the revised requirements of the board is made a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of \$100 for each day of infraction of the ordinance.  
If a dilapidated or ineffective fender is used for more than one trip, a misdemeanor is also committed, punishable by an equal fine.  
A second important bill which was favorably reported by the committee having it in charge was the bill for taxing automobiles. The committee had changed the proposed tax from \$10 to \$15.  
The bill to regulate the speed of automobiles will come up at Friday afternoon's meeting, and a special session of the board will be held on Saturday morning to consider the speed bill.  
The speed bill is opposed by automobile dealers and owners, who say that no other American city has imposed such restrictions on horseless vehicles.

**Pan-American-Akron Route.**  
Send your address to J. M. Chesbrough, 809 Century building, St. Louis, and obtain attractive booklet of Pan-American Exposition and the Akron Route.

**FALLS FATAL TO TWO MEN.**  
Charles Schmidt and Robert Clements Injured While Asleep.

Two men died at the City Hospital Thursday night from injuries received in falling off roofs while asleep.  
Charles Schmidt of 1421 Chouteau avenue slept on the porch roof Thursday night. He was restless and rolled about, finally falling off the edge and falling 30 feet to the ground. His skull was fractured. He was taken to the City Hospital at 2:30 o'clock Friday morning and died four hours later.  
Robert Clements of 612 North Broadway died Thursday night of injuries received in the same way. The injuries were received last Sunday night when Clements, in his sleep, fell 30 feet from the roof of his porch to the pavement, injuring his skull.

**A PROMINENT HOTEL MAN.**  
An interesting letter is given verbatim.

Mr. L. D. Weather is well known throughout the central portion of the United States as an obliging and efficient hotel man, as all those can testify who have known him as associated with the management of the Spencer House, Indianapolis, Ind. He is now manager of the Hotel Enterprise in that city. Under date of Nov. 10th, 1899, he writes as follows: Pepsin Syrup Co., Dear Sirs: We have been keeping house for five years and are never without Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. We find nothing to equal it as a candy. One night recently my wife was giving a dose to our baby (1½ years old) and Nelsa, our little girl (4 years old) cried for some too. Her mamma told her she didn't need it and then she said, "can't I take the spoonful?" It is so pleasant to take. The effects are so good, we hate to be without Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Yours truly, L. D. Weather, Manager, Hotel Enterprise, Indianapolis, Ind. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is sold by most druggists in 50c and \$1.00 bottles. For sale by Pepsin Syrup Co., Chicago, Ill., U. S. A.

## Sweeping Reductions in Furnishings.

Tell you what you do. Look over your wardrobe—see what you need—and come to Famous tomorrow and stock up. The savings are great!

**Men's Eagle Brand Shirts—soft laundered—each one pair detachable—cuffs—broken sizes—were 75c—now 39c**  
**All that's left of the Columbia and Pauline brands of 25c and 35c—now 15c**

**Men's Manhattan Shirts—choice of our entire \$1.50 line—now 1.15**  
**Broken line of Men's Mercerized silk and lace thread Undershirts and Drawers—worth \$1.50 a garment—now 75c**

**Big Lot of Broken Sizes of Men's Undershirts and Drawers—worth 50c a garment—now 25c**  
**Men's Bleached Drilling Drawers—elastic side seams—worth 50c—now 19c**

**Men's Neckwear—socks and four-in-hand—worth 25c—now 15c**  
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**Men's Muslin Night Shirts—with collar and cuffs—worth 50c—now 35c**  
**Men's Half Hose—Navy blue and card—slashed with white stripes—worth 15c—now 9c**

**Men's Imported British Half Hose—slashed with white stripes—worth 15c—now 9c**  
**Men's Summer Suspenders—elastic cord ends—worth 15c—now 9c**

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**Men's White Cambric Handkerchiefs—fancy colored borders—also indigo blue and navy red—worth 10c—now 5c**

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## STRAW HATS.

Out They Go!!  
**CHOICE of the very finest men's straw hats in the house—triple brim—jumbo, in 11 and 12 and split brims—some reserved; take the choicest and best; all slashed to one price.**

**80c**

## Men's Trousers.

The swiftest selling should follow in the wake of these remarkable reductions. Not a single pair of trousers in the entire stock but has been cut to the very core.  
For example:  
**Men's \$1.50 and \$2.00 Pants—slashed to—95c**  
**Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Pants—slashed to—1.60**  
**Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Pants—slashed to—2.40**  
**Men's \$4.50 and \$5.00 Pants—slashed to—3.35**  
**Men's \$5.00 and \$7.00 Pants—slashed to—4.40**  
**Men's Linen Gray Trousers—worth \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.00—slashed to—75c**

**Men's Office Coats—worth \$35—slashed to—\$15**  
**Black Alpaca Coats—worth \$1.25—slashed to—75c**  
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**Blue Serge Coats—worth \$1.25—slashed to—75c**  
**Blue Serge Coats and Vests—worth \$5.00—slashed to—3.60**

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**Bicycle Suits—were \$5 and \$6—now 2.50**  
**Striped Flannel Coats and Pants—worth \$10.00—now 5.75**  
**Wash Vests—worth \$1.50 and \$2.00—now 75c**

## WE'RE OPEN

Every Saturday Night Until 10 O'Clock.

The band will play on our Broadway Band Balcony—Saturday evening from 7 till 10. An unusually pleasing program has been arranged.

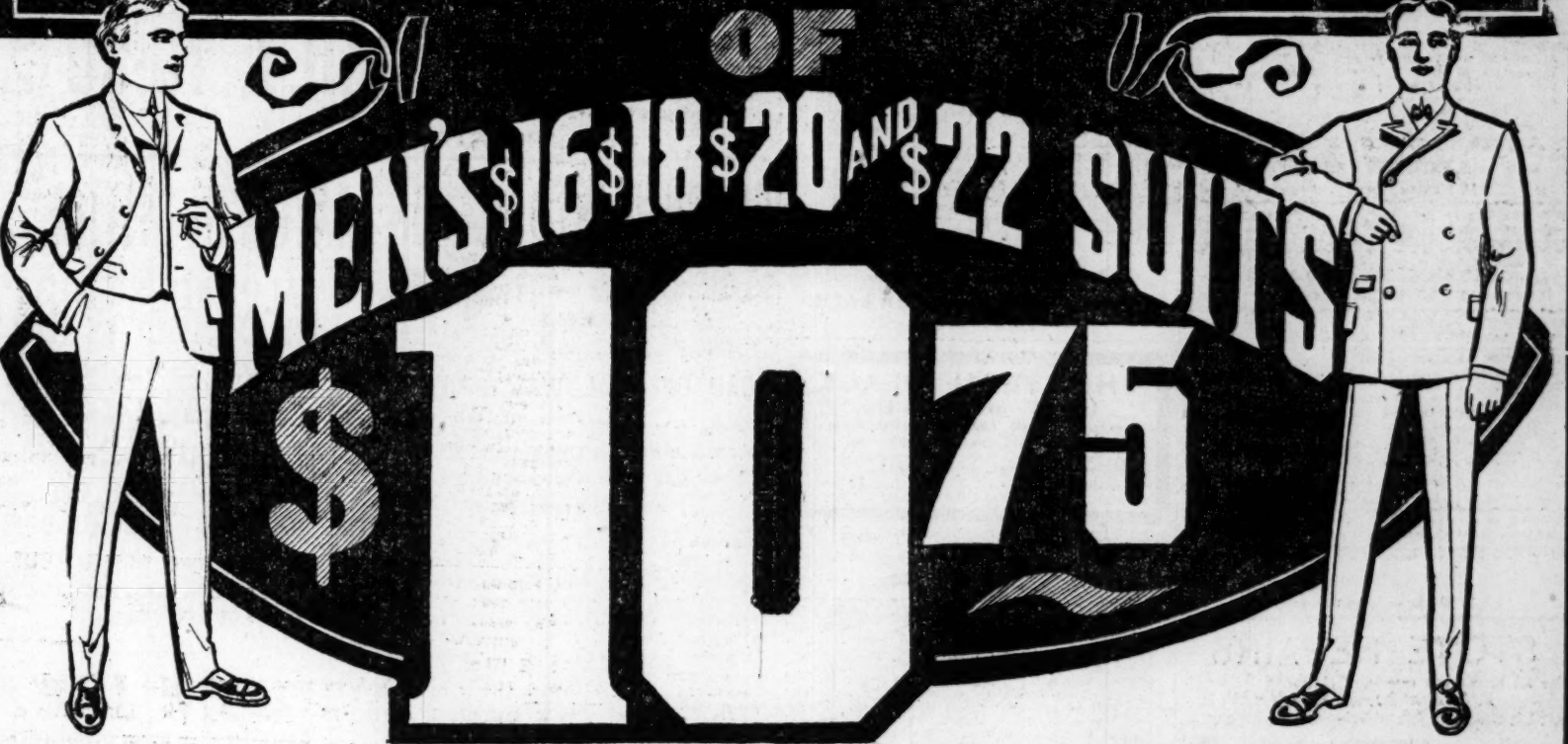
As Always—Your Money Back if You Want It.



# Our Great AFTER-STOCK-TAKING SALE!

The event that is so eagerly watched and waited for—was successfully launched this morning. The overwhelming attendance—the enthusiastic buying—all testify that the people recognize the vital, paramount importance of this occasion. The thousands of dollars' worth of summer goods which our inventory shows to be still on hand must be cleared out—and we do not stop to measure the cost nor consequences. Seldom before have we cut prices in so reckless and ruthless a manner. Selling goods at these prices means a loss of many thousands of dollars—but what of that! We've enjoyed a record-breaking season's business on a profitable basis—now we'll clear the decks of all that remains at any cost. It's the one, supreme bargain event of the year. Make up your mind right now to share in its limitless opportunities. Just read the values.

# CHOICE OF HUNDREDS OF



**THIS** Is the greatest offer of this great event—a sweeping sale of hundreds upon hundreds of our finest \$16, \$18, \$20 and \$22 Suits at the merely nominal price of \$10.75. It is the grandest and most astounding suit offer of the entire year—and gives you values simply incomparable—positively out of the question in any other store in America.

## COME TOMORROW AND SEE THE RICH AND SUMPTUOUS ASSORTMENT

of Suits this offer comprises. Walk from table to table—examine and try on as many as you please. If you want a suit, you're sure to be suited in this suit sale—and every man—long and thin, short and stout, extra large or regular size, can be fitted to a T.

**HERE** You have the handsomest of Scotch weaves, striped flannel effects in rough worsteds, neat tweeds and cassimeres, black and blue chevrons, solid blue serges and fine silk-mixed fabrics—elegantly made and trimmed—the productions of such famous makers as Feuchheimer, Fishel & Co., David Marks & Sons, B. Rothchild & Co., as well as

## GREAT LINES OF ROGERS, PEET & CO.'S (N. Y.) FINE SUITS.

These suits were acknowledged the greatest values in St. Louis at their regular price of \$16, \$18, \$20 and \$22—so you can easily see what an unparalleled opportunity this is at the price we now name—\$10.75.

## Boys' Furnishings

In connection with our Great Boys' Clothing Department on the second floor.

**Boys' Laundered Shirts—Garnet's best—collars attached—worth 20c—now 10c**  
**Boys' Star Waists—Newest patterns—standard \$1.00 grade—choice of the best—69c**  
**Boys' Jersey Sweaters—Bright colored—stripes—all shades—worth 85c—now 35c**  
**Boys' Manish Blouse Shirt Waists—Age 10 to 16 years—fancy striped and plain—white Bedford cords—worth \$1.00—now 65c**

## Boys' Suits.

Parents, give this your first attention tomorrow.

**Choice of hundreds of our very fine Boys' Pieces Knee Suits, ages 10 to 16—and Double-Breasted Knee Suits, ages 7 to 14—in the choicest fabrics and colors—(that were \$7 or effects—) and grand values at that—help yourself to any of them at**

**4.85**

**All of our Boys' Knee Suits and**

**\$3.50 and \$4.00—have now**

**been slashed down to—2.45**

**And the Boys' Double-Breasted**

**Knee Suits—that sold**

**earlier in the season at \$1.50**

**and \$2.00—now cut to—90c**

## YOUNG MEN!

Here's the opportunity of the year to get a fine suit at very little cost.

**CHOICE of hundreds of our very fine Young Men's Suits—ages 14 to 21—in a tremendous range of new, snappy, fashionable weaves and patterns—suits that sold at \$15 and \$18.00—in this sale**

**9.85**

**GREAT** Lines of young men's \$12.50 and \$18.50 Suits—including blue serge and all the popular weaves—in this sale at

**Famous—7.75**

**AND all our young men's splendid Suits—stylish, snappy garments—that were \$25.00 and \$30.00—are slashed to—5.75**

## Shoes

Here's real economy for you. Stylish Shoes of every good kind at a saving of one-third to one-half—and a guarantee of satisfaction with every purchase. We'll not carry over a pair of summer shoes if we have to give them away.

**Men's Tan Shoes—All the leading makes, including Sinton, A. E. Nelson, Edwin Clapp and J. S. Turner—all latest styles and in the very newest styles for summer wear—worth \$3.00 to \$3.50—slashed to—1.95**

**Men's Bluchers—With patent kid vamp and box kid construction and Goodyear welted sole—ages 10 to 16—worth \$2.50—slashed to—1.95**

**Ladies' Oxfords—In black double sole with turned sole and kid tip—all sizes—worth \$1.50—slashed to—98c**

**Boys' Shoes—With horseshoe shaped soles—all the new and popular shapes—ages 10 to 16—worth \$1.50—in this sale—1.19**

**Children's Shoes—In black double sole—ages 5 to 10—worth \$1.25—special at—84c**

## THE HOTTEST OF HOT MONTHS

Record of Temperatures in July Just Passed at Twelve of the Principal Cities in the United States.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—July, just departed, has broken all records in the matter of high temperatures and dry weather. The following table shows the daily maximums for the month at 12 of the principal cities of the United States:

|    | St. Louis | Chicago | New York | New Orleans | San Francisco | Philadelphia | Boston | Kansas City | Cincinnati | Little Rock | Omaha | St. Paul |
|----|-----------|---------|----------|-------------|---------------|--------------|--------|-------------|------------|-------------|-------|----------|
| 1  | 100       | 92      | 98       | 90          | 102           | 92           | 100    | 96          | 90         | 94          | 82    | 82       |
| 2  | 96        | 85      | 98       | 92          | 102           | 92           | 100    | 92          | 96         | 88          | 84    | 84       |
| 3  | 98        | 84      | 84       | 84          | 98            | 96           | 102    | 92          | 98         | 94          | 92    | 92       |
| 4  | 98        | 95      | 86       | 84          | 92            | 104          | 102    | 96          | 98         | 82          | 82    | 82       |
| 5  | 100       | 91      | 80       | 88          | 74            | 90           | 70     | 90          | 92         | 94          | 84    | 78       |
| 6  | 96        | 86      | 82       | 84          | 58            | 94           | 66     | 98          | 88         | 88          | 78    | 78       |
| 7  | 84        | 66      | 84       | 84          | 80            | 74           | 94     | 98          | 88         | 74          | 98    | 74       |
| 8  | 88        | 69      | 78       | 90          | 80            | 78           | 84     | 98          | 78         | 88          | 94    | 78       |
| 9  | 92        | 87      | 80       | 88          | 66            | 82           | 64     | 104         | 82         | 90          | 102   | 90       |
| 10 | 104       | 102     | 80       | 90          | 80            | 82           | 100    | 92          | 96         | 102         | 84    | 84       |
| 11 | 104       | 71      | 84       | 94          | 62            | 90           | 86     | 102         | 100        | 100         | 100   | 84       |
| 12 | 102       | 75      | 72       | 100         | 56            | 72           | 72     | 104         | 88         | 106         | 100   | 88       |
| 13 | 96        | 74      | 76       | 96          | 70            | 74           | 98     | 88          | 98         | 100         | 98    | 98       |
| 14 | 98        | 79      | 82       | 96          | 88            | 80           | 102    | 90          | 98         | 102         | 98    | 98       |
| 15 | 98        | 84      | 86       | 94          | 88            | 90           | 102    | 96          | 98         | 96          | 94    | 94       |
| 16 | 92        | 82      | 86       | 88          | 60            | 88           | 94     | 100         | 96         | 94          | 100   | 92       |
| 17 | 100       | 92      | 84       | 88          | 60            | 90           | 84     | 100         | 96         | 98          | 98    | 92       |
| 18 | 98        | 75      | 88       | 92          | 70            | 90           | 100    | 90          | 98         | 96          | 90    | 90       |
| 19 | 98        | 78      | 88       | 84          | 68            | 80           | 78     | 100         | 90         | 98          | 98    | 94       |
| 20 | 98        | 78      | 88       | 84          | 68            | 80           | 78     | 100         | 90         | 98          | 98    | 94       |
| 21 | 100       | 97      | 86       | 86          | 56            | 88           | 82     | 104         | 94         | 98          | 102   | 102      |
| 22 | 106       | 103     | 92       | 90          | 80            | 90           | 104    | 100         | 96         | 104         | 96    | 96       |
| 23 | 106       | 87      | 90       | 92          | 68            | 84           | 106    | 106         | 98         | 104         | 94    | 94       |
| 24 | 106       | 83      | 90       | 88          | 56            | 90           | 80     | 102         | 94         | 102         | 102   | 100      |
| 25 | 108       | 94      | 90       | 88          | 50            | 92           | 90     | 106         | 96         | 100         | 104   | 104      |
| 26 | 98        | 87      | 74       | 80          | 60            | 82           | 86     | 100         | 94         | 86          | 102   | 84       |
| 27 | 98        | 84      | 70       | 90          | 62            | 66           | 68     | 90          | 98         | 88          | 100   | 74       |
| 28 | 98        | 83      | 80       | 88          | 58            | 80           | 76     | 92          | 100        | 92          | 96    | 88       |
| 29 | 96        | 90      | 78       | 90          | 48            | 74           | 72     | 84          | 88         | 88          | 90    | 84       |
| 30 | 90        | 87      | 92       | 90          | 48            | 66           | 66     | 86          | 86         | 86          | 88    | 80       |
| 31 | 92        | 85      | 92       | 92          | 48            | 86           | 86     | 90          | 92         | 86          | 88    | 80       |

## NEW GERMAN CONSUL ARRIVES.

Dr. Bielfort, lately of Manila, succeeds Dr. Frommann in St. Louis. Dr. F. C. Bielfort, the new consular representative of the German empire in St. Louis, arrived Thursday night and took charge of his office Friday morning.  
Dr. Bielfort succeeds Dr. Carl F. Frommann, who was appointed a diplomatic post in Russia last January.  
When the change was ordered, Dr. Bielfort was selected for the St. Louis consulate, and his commission was sent to him early in February. He was born in the country in Prussia at that time. He made preparations to come to St. Louis, but an illness seized him. He was unable to leave his treatment, remaining there until he was able to make the journey to St. Louis. He is entirely recovered.  
Dr. Bielfort speaks English fluently. He says he is pleased with his assignment to St. Louis, as he has long been interested in the city.  
He has a successful diplomatic record. His first post was London. Later, he was sent to Hong Kong, one of the most important of the consulates of the empire. From there he was ordered to Manila.  
Excursion to Quincy, Sunday, Aug. 4, 8.50. Leave Union Station 7:50 a. m., via Burlington.

## CREDITORS MADE DIRECTORS.

Affairs of the Western Brass Company Will Be Investigated.  
At a meeting of the creditors of the Western Brass Manufacturing Co. of 815 Walnut street Thursday five of them were elected to the directorate to look after their interests.  
They were T. F. Cahill of the Cahill-Swift Manufacturing Co., A. Downey of the National Tube Co., Wilfred C. Rodgers of the Central Foundry Co. of New York, C. W. Carrel of the Franklin Bank and C. E. McCullough of the Western Tube Co. Mr. Cahill was elected to take charge of the company's business pending a settlement of its indebtedness.  
The meeting, it is said, represented 96 per cent of the creditors.  
Mr. Cahill went to the company's plant Thursday afternoon and entered upon the discharge of his duties. He told the Post-Dispatch Friday that the taking of an inventory had been begun, and that the condition of the company will not be known until it shall have been completed.  
The capital stock of the company is \$100,000. Its officers are A. E. Forbes, president; G. Cousins, vice-president, and W. W. E. Althaus, secretary.

Jefferson City, Mo., and Return, \$1.25, Sunday, Aug. 4, 1901, via Missouri Pacific Railway, leave Union Station 9 a. m.

## MYSTERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

Harry Buckley Says He Was Stabbed by an Unidentified Man.

Harry Buckley, 30 years old, of 2330 Olive street, is at the City Hospital with a stab wound in his abdomen.  
Buckley says he was stabbed about day-light Thursday morning at Twenty-third and Pine streets while on his way home. All he knows about his assailant, he says, is that he was a white man. He declares that the man slipped up on him from behind, stabbed him with a knife and ran before he could see who it was. He went on home and an ambulance was summoned from there.

## "Biggest and Best."

The American Newspaper Directory, Geo. P. Rowell & Co., New York, issued a list of papers, one from each state, selected by them upon investigation, as the largest circulated paper in the state. The St. Louis Post-Dispatch, as everybody knows, has the post of honor for the State of Missouri in this list. George P. Rowell & Co. might have truthfully added, the largest in any state between the Mississippi river and Pacific Ocean.

## EDITOR GODKIN DYING.

Famous Writer of Philippines Against Political Abuse.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—A report was brought over on the Deutschland that E. Lawrence Godkin, formerly editor of the Evening Post and famous for his philippines against local political organizations, is dying of Bright's disease in a little London suburb.  
Mr. Godkin has done little active editorial work for nearly three years, when he left New York and went to live in Connecticut. His health failed him some months ago, and he went abroad for recuperation.

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